

ITW

PATENT Attorney Docket No. 09812.0088 CUSTOMER NUMBER 22,852

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 2827

Confirmation No.: 1974

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

In re Application of: In re U.S. national phase of PCT/JP2004/002558

Inventor: Takashi SATO

Application No.: 10/550,511

Filed: September 23, 2005

For: Information Processing

Apparatus, Information Processing Method, Program,

and Storage Medium

(As Amended)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.